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1. WOULD APPRECIATE FBO VIEWS ON POSSIBILITY OF INSTALLING SOLAR WATER HEATER ON ROOF OF NEW CHANCERY TO HEAT WATER FOR LAVATORIES AND SNACK BAR. DOYLE SAVAGE HAS INFORMED AMBASSADOR THAT REYNOLDS ALUMINUM MIGHT SUPPLY THE UNIT AT NO COST. ERDA COULD PRESUMABLY SUGGEST OTHER POSSIBLE SOURCES. OUR RESEARCH ON SUBJECT INDICATES THAT COSTS OF EQUIPMENT AND MAINTENANCE ARE COMPETITIVE IN MANY CASES WITH OTHER POWER SOURCES. IF SUCH INSTALLATION POSSIBLE IN NEW CHANCERY, WE ASSUME NECESSARY DESIGN MODIFICATIONS SHOULD BE MADE NOW.

2. FOLLOWING EXAMPLE OF SAUDI ARABI, WHICH IS ACTIVELY DEVELOPING ITS SOLAR ENERGY CAPACITY IN ORDER SUPPLEMENT AND GRADUALLY REPLACE PETROLEUM RESOURCES, NIGERIA COULD BECOME INTERESTED IN SIMILAR DEVELOPMENT OF NON-OIL ALTERNATIVES FOR FUTURE. ANY GUINEA PIG ROLE WE PLAY MIGHT HAVE SIGNIFICANT DEMONSTRATION EFFECT WHICH WOULD BENEFIT US INDUSTRY SUPPLIERS AS WELL AS NIGERIA'S TECHNOLOGICAL ADVANCEMENT. IN THIS REGARD WE WOULD SUGGEST CONSIDERATION OF OTHER SOLAR ENERGY DEVICES FOR INSTALLATION HERE. DR. PETER GLASER, VICE PRESIDENT, ARTHUR D. LITTLE, INC., CAMBRIDGE, MASS. (617-864-5770) IS A LEADING AMERICAN AUTHORITY IN THIS FIELD. AMBASSADOR CONFERRED WITH HIM IN MARCH. WE BELIEVE GLASER WOULD BE HAPPY TO DISCUSS RANGE OF PRACTICABLE

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